



PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
CHRISTIAN WAMPRECHT ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1714
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/092,212) EXAMINER: P. NILAND
FILED: MARCH 6, 2002)
TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND THEIR)
USE FOR THE THICKENING)
OF AQUEOUS SYSTEMS)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003, Applicants submit herewith a Petition for Extension of Time along with the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

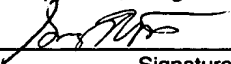
Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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March 19, 2004

Date